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Re Applic of	Volant, et al.
Docket No.	FIS920010219US1
Serial No.	10/026,146
Filing Date	12/21/01
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**Attached: Amendment  
Amendment Transmittal Letter  
Petition for Extension of Time**

**PLEASE DELIVER TO:****EXAMINER:** Hung K. Vu**ART UNIT:** 2811**PHONE NO:****FAX NO:** 703-872-9306

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)  
(Large Entity)**Docket No.  
FIS920010219US1

In Re Application Of: Volant, et al.

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/026,146	12/21/01	Hung K. Vu	32074	2811	8227

Invention: Multi-Level RF Passive Device

**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 02/04/05 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

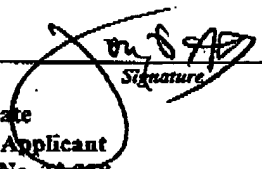
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from: 05/04/05    until: 06/06/05  
*Date*    *Date*

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☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 09-0458  
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Joseph P. Abate  
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Dated: June 6, 2005

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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b>					Docket No. <b>FIS920010219US1</b>	
Applicant(s): Volant, et al.						
Application No. <b>10/026,146</b>	Filing Date <b>12/21/01</b>	Examiner <b>Hung K. Vu</b>	Customer No. <b>32074</b>	Group Art Unit <b>2811</b>	Confirmation No. <b>8227</b>	
Invention: <b>Multi-Level RF Passive Device</b>						
<b><u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u></b>						
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.						
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Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00	
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Joseph P. Abate Attorney for Applicant Registration No. 30,238			Dated: <b>June 6, 2005</b>			
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	
In re application of: <b>Richard P. Volant, et al.</b>	Date: June 6, 2005
Serial Number: <b>10/026,146</b>	Examiner: <b>Hung K. Vu</b>
Filed: <b>December 21, 2001</b>	Group Art Unit: <b>2811</b>
Title: <b>Multi-Level RF Passive Device</b>	IBM Corporation D/18G, B/321, Zip 482 2070 Route 52 Hopewell Junction, NY 12533-6531

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated 2/4/05, for which a one month petition for extension of time until 5/6/05 is attached, kindly amend the application as follows.

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